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In re Application of:

Takayuki SUGAHARA et al.

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REPRODUCING WATERMARK
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amend claims 1, 3, 9, 12, 15 and 19.

Add new claims 26-33.

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